

SENATE BILL 969

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
relative to higher education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-2405(a), is amended by
deleting subdivision (2) and substituting:

(2) An institution is committed to giving students the broadest possible latitude to
speak, write, listen, challenge, learn, and discuss any issue, including political
viewpoints, subject to § 49-7-2408, free from discrimination or retaliation based on the
content or viewpoint of the student's expression;

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.